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On the LOSS of

# The Cattle-Market at Salisbury.

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WITH cogent Reasons to remember  
 The Errors of her *Council-Chamber*,  
 SARUM now cancels and retracts  
 The odious Clauses of her Acts;  
 And, by conciliating Measures,  
 Wishes to reconcile the GRAZIERS;  
 Whose Eyes could not discern the Sense  
 Of building Halls at *their* Expende;  
 And who with honest Warmth resented  
 Exactions so unprecedented.  
 For what, without just Claim, is worse  
 Than an Attempt. upon your Purse?  
 The GRAZIERS felt it to a Man;  
 Each was to each a Partizan;  
 And SARUM soon found to her Cost,  
 The Birds were flown, the Game was lost.  
 For looking round on Speculation,  
 ROMSEY appeared, in Situation  
 More central, and superior far  
 In Times of Peace, as well as War:  
 Where Buyers and themselves wou'd be,  
 From *Tolls* and Impositions free,  
 Received with more Civility.  
 This SARUM saw, with great Offence;  
 But 'twas the Rage of *Impotence*.  
 For she has tried, but tried in vain,  
 Their slighted Favours to regain.  
 ROMSEY is now the *Butcher's* Boast,  
 And this the *Grazier's* reigning Toast,  
 ROMSEY FOR EVER rule the ROAST.

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ROMSEY, October 17, 1787.

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